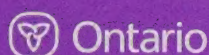


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The following information is based on 1999–2000 data provided by schools, district school boards, and school authorities (106). Unless otherwise specified, the information refers to Ontario's publicly funded elementary and secondary schools.

Enrolment, 1999–2000*

| | Elementary | Secondary | Total |
|-------------------------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Public Schools | | | |
| Male | 491 771 | 263 968 | 755 739 |
| Female | 461 923 | 243 627 | 705 550 |
| Total | 953 694 | 507 595 | 1 461 289 |
| Roman Catholic Schools | | | |
| Male | 240 789 | 97 029 | 337 818 |
| Female | 232 875 | 99 644 | 332 519 |
| Total | 473 664 | 196 673 | 670 337 |
| All Schools | | | |
| Male | 732 560 | 360 997 | 1 093 557 |
| Female | 694 798 | 343 271 | 1 038 069 |
| Total | 1 427 358 | 704 268 | 2 131 626 |

* Excludes 6951 students in Provincial Schools and in care, treatment, and correctional facilities.

Enrolment by Grade, 1999–2000*

Elementary Schools

| Grade | Public Schools | Roman Catholic Schools | Total |
|-------------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------|
| JK | 70 551 | 43 317 | 113 868 |
| K | 92 791 | 47 085 | 139 876 |
| 1 | 95 574 | 49 152 | 144 726 |
| 2 | 96 231 | 49 850 | 146 081 |
| 3 | 96 368 | 48 865 | 145 233 |
| 4 | 96 598 | 48 992 | 145 590 |
| 5 | 94 611 | 46 970 | 141 581 |
| 6 | 92 321 | 45 200 | 137 521 |
| 7 | 92 264 | 44 610 | 136 874 |
| 8 | 93 777 | 44 376 | 138 153 |
| Special education | 32 608 | 5 247 | 37 855 |
| Total | 953 694 | 473 664 | 1 427 358 |

Secondary Schools

| Grade/Age | Public Schools | Roman Catholic Schools | Total |
|--------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Pre-Grade 9 | 2 652 | 382 | 3 034 |
| Grade 9 | 109 521 | 44 004 | 153 525 |
| Grade 10 | 114 345 | 44 093 | 158 438 |
| Grade 11 | 109 388 | 41 323 | 150 711 |
| Grade 12: No OACs | 57 834 | 22 709 | 80 543 |
| Grade 12: 1–5 OACs | 61 256 | 25 215 | 86 471 |
| Grade 12: 6+ OACs | 43 671 | 17 601 | 61 272 |
| Age 21+ | 8 928 | 1 346 | 10 274 |
| Total | 507 595 | 196 673 | 704 268 |

* The total number of elementary and secondary school students excludes 6951 students in Provincial Schools and in care, treatment, and correctional facilities.

Enrolment in French-Language Units

| | 1980–81 | 1995–96 | 1996–97 | 1997–98 | 1998–99 | 1999–2000 |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Elementary | 67 298 | 69 340 | 68 956 | 69 234 | 68 109 | 68 161 |
| Secondary | 28 959 | 28 316 | 26 424 | 26 185 | 26 164 | 26 106 |
| Total | 96 257 | 97 656 | 95 380 | 95 419 | 94 273 | 94 267 |

Number of Schools, 1999–2000*

| | Elementary | Secondary | Total |
|------------------------|--------------|------------|--------------|
| Public schools | 2 577 | 596 | 3 173 |
| Roman Catholic schools | 1 393 | 224 | 1 617 |
| Total | 3 970 | 820 | 4 790 |

* School counts exclude 13 Provincial Schools and 395 care, treatment, and correctional facilities.

Elementary and Secondary School Enrolment, 1990–91 and 1995–96 to 1999–2000

| | 1990–91 | 1995–96 | 1996–97 | 1997–98 | 1998–99 | 1999–2000 |
|--------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Elementary | 1 282 469 | 1 396 100 | 1 376 506 | 1 394 439 | 1 413 786 | 1 427 358 |
| Secondary | 660 024 | 720 671 | 695 784 | 701 191 | 697 836 | 704 268 |
| Total | 1 942 493 | 2 116 771 | 2 072 290 | 2 095 630 | 2 111 622 | 2 131 626 |

Enrolment in French As a Second Language, 1999–2000*

Elementary Schools

| School Type | Core Program | Extended Program | Immersion Program | Total |
|----------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Public | 508 879 | 9 429 | 68 546 | 586 854 |
| Roman Catholic | 292 650 | 17 063 | 28 719 | 338 432 |
| Total | 801 529 | 26 492 | 97 265 | 925 286 |

Secondary Schools**

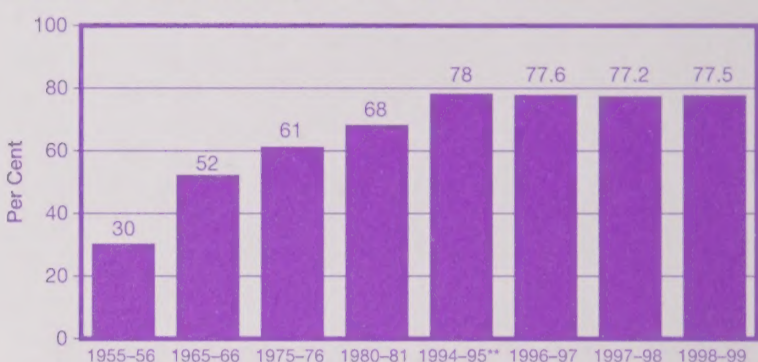
| School Type | Core Program | Extended Program | Immersion Program | Total |
|----------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Public | 83 947 | 6 404 | 14 602 | 104 953 |
| Roman Catholic | 31 895 | 2 797 | 4 920 | 39 612 |
| Total | 115 842 | 9 201 | 19 522 | 144 565 |

* Corrections to the FSL enrolment figures published in the 1998–99 edition of Quick Facts have been posted on the Ministry of Education web site.

** Data for secondary schools are not comparable with those of previous years, owing to changes in policies related to diploma requirements and to the reporting of enrolment data.

Secondary School Graduation Rate, 1955–56 to 1998–99

Graduates* As a Percentage of 18-Year-Old Population



* Includes graduates from private schools.

** The 1994–95 figure is not strictly comparable with the figures in previous years, owing to a change in the definition of population and the methodology for estimating population totals.

Full-Time Teachers in Schools, 1999–2000

| | Elementary | Secondary | Total |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|
| Number of Teachers | | | |
| Public School Boards | | | |
| Male | 13 065 | 16 002 | 29 067 |
| Female | 36 955 | 15 751 | 52 706 |
| Roman Catholic School Boards | | | |
| Male | 5 679 | 6 351 | 12 030 |
| Female | 18 439 | 6 166 | 24 605 |
| Total | 74 138 | 44 270 | 118 408 |
| Positions Held | | | |
| Principals and vice-principals | 5 562 | 1 894 | 7 456 |
| Percentage female | 56.2% | 41.0% | 52.4% |
| Department heads | – | 8 352 | 8 352 |
| Percentage female | – | 46.8% | 46.8% |
| Classroom and other teachers | 68 079 | 34 521 | 102 600 |
| Percentage female | 76.3% | 50.9% | 67.7% |

Adults in Secondary Day School

| Age Group | 1980–81 | | | | 1999–2000 | | | |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Male | (%)* | Female | (%)* | Male | (%)* | Female | (%)* |
| 19–21 | 9 421 | (3.1) | 4 979 | (1.8) | 18 787 | (2.67) | 12 045 | (1.71) |
| 22 and older | 1 441 | (0.5) | 3 519 | (1.2) | 2 719 | (0.39) | 5 981 | (0.85) |
| Total | 10 862 | (3.6) | 8 498 | (3.0) | 21 506 | (3.06) | 18 026 | (2.56) |

* Percentage of total secondary school enrolment.

Private Schools* and Enrolment by Level of Instruction, October 31, 1999

| Level | Schools | Enrolment | | |
|--------------------------|------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|
| | | Male | Female | Total |
| Elementary | 436 | 25 211 | 23 283 | 48 494 |
| Secondary | 75 | 5 584 | 5 466 | 11 050 |
| Elementary and secondary | 211 | 22 931 | 20 495 | 43 426 |
| Total | 722 | 53 726 | 49 244 | 102 970 |

* Includes First Nation secondary schools and overseas schools.

Continuing Education Provided by School Boards, 1998–99*

| Type of Course | Enrolment | | |
|---|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | English | French | Total |
| Secondary school credit courses | 251 412 | 2 623 | 254 035 |
| Non-classroom correspondence courses or self-study | 41 859 | 4 836 | 46 695 |
| Adult basic literacy and numeracy | 17 354 | 188 | 17 542 |
| English or French as a second language | 187 888 | 1 280 | 189 168 |
| Native as a second language | 209 | 0 | 209 |
| Citizenship and official national languages classes | 18 776 | 0 | 18 776 |
| Non-credit courses | 175 643 | 91 | 175 734 |
| Total | 693 141 | 9 018 | 702 159 |

* Enrolment in courses offered in 1998–99, generally in the evening, and during the summer of 1999.